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SIR:

Kindly amend the application as follows to correct minor editorial or typographical

errors:

IN THE CLAIMS

--10. (Twice amended) A method for the prophylactic and/or therapeutic treatment of dysuria that comprises:

administering to a human being or an animal an effective amount of a compound, which is a β_3 adrenergic receptor agonist, having a general formula selected from the group consisting of formula (IV), (V), (VI), (VII) and (VIII),

or a salt or prodrug thereof, or for the compound of formula (VII) an ester or amide thereof;

wherein

(a) a compound of formula (IV) is represented by the following general formula:

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